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FM AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

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INFO AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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SUBJECT: MALIK ON CAMBODIA

REF: A. JAKARTA 8989; B. BANGKOK 11520

1. JAKARTA PRESS OF JULY 30 GAVE HEAVY COVERAGE TO MALIK STATEMENTS THAT HE SEES SIGNS OF IMPENDING "HONORABLE SETTLEMENT" TO WAR IN CAMBODIA. AS USUAL MALIK WAS VAGUE ON DETAILS, BUT ALLEGED THAT WILLINGNESS OF PHNOM PENH TO NEGOTIATE WITH SIHANOUK WAS A HOPEFUL SIGN. QUESTIONED ON INDONESIAN ROLE, MAILIK MERELY SAID THAT GOI WOULD SUPPORT A SETTLEMENT. MALIK STATEMENTS WERE AT HIS USUAL AIRPORT ENCOUNTER WITH PRESS JULY 28 FOLLOWING MEETING WITH INDONESIAN AMBASSADORS TO INDOCHINA IN BANGKOK.

2. MAILIK TOUCHED BRIEFLY ON MEETINGS WITH
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THAI PREMIER THANOM INDICATING THAT SUBJECTS

DISCUSSED INCLUDED RICE (NO ELABORATION) AND POSTPONEMENT OF THANOM'S AUGUST 14 VISIT TO INDONESIA WHICH MALIK REPEATED WAS DUE TO THAI INTERNAL AFFAIRS.

3. REPORTERS ATTEMPTED TO TEASE MORE INFORMATION FROM MALIK REGARDING HIS STOPOVER IN HONG KONG ON WAY HOME FROM BANGKOK, BUT MALIK QUIPPED THAT IT WAS "FOR SHOPPING ONLY". HE ACKNOWLEDGED THAT MINISTER OF JUSTICE SENO ADJIE AND HEAD OF IMMIGRATION DIRECTORATE IN FOREIGN DEPARTMENT ACCOMPANIED HIM, AND PRESS HERE IS SPECULATING THAT PURPOSE OF VISIT WAS TO DISCUSS ILLEGAL RETURN OF FORMER CHINESE RESIDENTS TO INDONESIA.

4. WE HOPE TO HAVE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THESE SUBJECTS FROM OFFICIAL SOURCES.
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